Marianas History Conference Event Schedule

Fri, Sep 01, 2023

2:00 PM

Registration

2:00 PM - 6:00 PM, Sep 1

♥ Hibiscus Hall, Crowne Plaza Resort Saipan

6:00 PM

Welcoming Remarks

② 6:00 PM - 6:15 PM, Sep 1

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6:15 PM

Traditional Blessing

② 6:15 PM - 6:30 PM, Sep 1

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6:30 PM

Dinner

② 6:30 PM - 6:30 PM, Sep 1

Phibiscus Hall, Crowne Plaza Resort Saipan

7:00 PM

Keynote Address: Donald B. Mendiola

② 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM, Sep 1

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▼ Speaker



Donald Mendiola

Yo'åmti/Classroom Teacher PSS—CCLHS; Åmut Natibu

Sat, Sep 02, 2023

8:00 AM

Registration

② 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM, Sep 2

♥ Hibiscus Hall, Crowne Plaza Resort Saipan

AM Refreshments

② 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM, Sep 2

8:15 AM

Announcements

② 8:15 AM - 8:20 AM, Sep 2

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8:20 AM

Welcoming Remarks from NEH Chair Shelly Lowe

② 8:20 AM - 8:25 AM, Sep 2

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8:25 AM

Keynote Address: Pale' Eric Forbes

② 8:25 AM - 9:10 AM, Sep 2

♥ Speaker



Påle' Eric Forbes

9:20 AM

Reconstructing History through Technology

② 9:20 AM - 10:35 AM, Sep 2

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3 Subsessions

• Overcoming Colonial Legacies. The Digital Reconstruction of the Palacio de Gobierno of the Mariana Islands as an Opportunity for Nation Building

② 9:20 AM - 10:35 AM, Sep 2

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■ The Guam Rock Art Study and 3D Technology

② 9:20 AM - 10:35 AM, Sep 2

● The Effectives of Lidar for Archaeological Investigations

② 9:20 AM - 10:35 AM, Sep 2

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Contemporary CNMI

② 9:20 AM - 10:35 AM, Sep 2

Azucena Room, Crowne Plaza Resort Saipan

3 Subsessions

Chamorro Language and Beliefs

② 9:20 AM - 10:35 AM, Sep 2

● Gi Talo gi Håom Tåsi (In the Middle of the Sea): An Exploration of Teaching "Place" in the Mariånas Archipelago

② 9:20 AM - 10:35 AM, Sep 2

Kombetsa Dinana Islas Sinahi gi San Lichan yan San Kattan"

② 9:20 AM - 10:35 AM, Sep 2

WORKSHOP/ROUND TABLE: Pine'lo-ku Na Manhita (I Thought We Were Together)

② 9:20 AM - 10:35 AM, Sep 2



Dakota Camacho Gi Matan Guma'



Jeremy Cepeda Associate Researcher University of Guam & Gi Matan Guma'

10:45 AM

Pompeu Fabra

② 10:45 AM - 12:00 PM, Sep 2

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3 Subsessions

- Exploring the Sexual Wounds of Spanish Colonization in Tåno Låguas yan Gåni (the Mariana Islands) during the Late 17th Century
- ① 10:45 AM 12:00 PM, Sep 2
- **●** Emotional Wounds Carved in the Space: The Impact of Spanish Colonization on CHamoru/Chamorro Spatiality
- ② 10:45 AM 12:00 PM, Sep 2
- Contrasting Healways: Colonization by Pathologization and Resistance through CHamoru healing during the Spanish Colonization of the Tåno' Låguas yan Gåni

② 10:45 AM - 12:00 PM, Sep 2

I Manmalingu na Songsong Lagu

② 10:45 AM - 12:00 PM, Sep 2

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Cacilie Craft
Principal Investigator
KLF



Chase Young



Angelina Pangelinan



Joanne Eakin Independent Researcher



Alea Dugan



Jacy Miller Kleinfelder



Mikhael Phelps Archaeologist Kleinfelder



Christina Spellman



Jenaleigh Ligow

12:00 PM

Lunch (Hosted)

② 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM, Sep 2

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1:10 PM

Listening for Hinemlo, Sounds of Rice and Healing in the Marianas

② 1:10 PM - 2:25 PM, Sep 2

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▼ Speaker



Donald Mendiola Yo'amti/Classroom Teacher PSS—CCLHS; Amut Natibu

WORKSHOP/ROUND TABLE: Stories from Gani

② 1:10 PM - 2:25 PM, Sep 2



Leila StafflerFilmmaker, Cultural Advocate



Donald Mendiola Yo'amti/Classroom Teacher PSS—CCLHS; Amut Natibu

MSP Student Panel

② 1:10 PM - 2:25 PM, Sep 2

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2:35 PM

America in the Marianas

② 2:35 PM - 3:50 PM, Sep 2

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3 Subsessions

● The First and Last United States Consul to Guam: Samuel Masters and Manifest Destiny in the Pacific, 1853-1856

② 2:35 PM - 3:50 PM, Sep 2

• Woman's Labor, Culture and Politics in the Northern Mariana Islands during the American Occupation

② 2:35 PM - 3:50 PM, Sep 2

■ Restor(y)ing the Bones: Strategies for Meaningful Consultation

② 2:35 PM - 3:50 PM, Sep 2

Remembering the War

② 2:35 PM - 3:50 PM, Sep 2

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3 Subsessions

• Humanizing War Histories: Japanese Names at the Asan Bay Overlook Memorial Wall

② 2:35 PM - 3:50 PM, Sep 2

■ Tinian North Field Complex National Historic Landmark Application: A Status Report

② 2:35 PM - 3:50 PM, Sep 2

• Humanity in War: Guy Gabaldon at the Battle of Saipan

② 2:35 PM - 3:50 PM, Sep 2

An Apprenticeship for Traditional Healers? Can we make it work in an institution using a cultural lens?

② 2:35 PM - 3:50 PM, Sep 2

▼ Speaker



Tricia A. LizamaProfessor
Univ. of Guam

Postcolonial Perspectives

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM, Sep 2

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2 Subsessions

■ Traditional Austronesian Seafaring in Postcolonial Contexts: Knowledge, Nationality, and Maritime Resistance

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM, Sep 2

● Preserving the Politics of Knowledge: A Developing Ethnography on Historic Preservation in Guåhan

② 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM, Sep 2

Paths to Healing

② 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM, Sep 2

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2 Subsessions

- Indigenous Rights: A Pathway to End American Second Class Citizenship ② 4:00 PM 5:00 PM, Sep 2
- **■** Legend Has It: Guam's Suicide Epidemic, its Contributing Factors, and its Potential Solutions

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM, Sep 2

WORKSHOP / ROUND TABLE: Learning CHamoru/Chamorro: Healing the Wounds of History

② 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM, Sep 2

♥ Terrace Private Room

♥ Speaker



Gerhard Schwab

Professor (PhD in Social Work and Psychology) University of Guam

5:30 PM

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING SESSION: 500 Sails Sailing & Traditional Navigation

② 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM, Sep 2

♥ Crowne Plaza Resort Saipan Beach Side

6:00 PM

Reimagining the Marianas – An Evening with Humanities Guåhan and Northern Marianas Humanities Council

② 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM, Sep 2

♥ Hibiscus Hall, Crowne Plaza Resort Saipan

This is a free, special conference event with a hosted dinner. Pre-registration is required and is limited to the first 60 registrants.

Reimagining the Marianas invites Marianas History Conference participants to partake in an evening that celebrates self-reflection, storytelling, exploration and creating meaningful social change through performance and conversation.

Join Humanities Guåhan and Northern Marianas Humanities Council for good food, powerful performances by indigenous cultural experts and artists, and meaningful discussion centered on cultural identity, resilience, and healing. Our goal is to create an inclusive and welcoming space where participants can critically think about and discuss the values and choices that shape us as a community to reimagine a Marianas that is more just, inclusive, and sustainable. Themes include diverse expressions of culture across the Marianas, multigenerational wounds experienced by different communities that call the Marianas home, and cultural beliefs and practices that foster healing from the traumatic effects of colonialism.

Lead Facilitators: Leo Pangelinan, Catherine Perry, Bryan Manabat, Beth Demapan, Elfrie Koshiba, Kimberlee Kihleng, Nedine Songeni and Charissa Manibusan

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING SESSION: Premiere of Attituyi I Åmot-Ta

② 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM, Sep 2

American Memorial Park Visitor's Theater

Sun, Sep 03, 2023

8:00 AM

Registration

② 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM, Sep 3

♥ Hibiscus Hall, Crowne Plaza Resort Saipan

AM Refreshments

② 8:00 AM - 8:30 AM, Sep 3

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8:25 AM

Wartime and Women: An Oral Histories Project

② 8:25 AM - 9:40 AM, Sep 3

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▼ Speaker



Jovannalyn MafnasPacific Historic Parks

Scientific Study of the Past

② 8:25 AM - 9:40 AM, Sep 3

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3 Subsessions

- Rethinking 'Village' and 'Community' in Ancient Chamorro Society
 ② 8:25 AM 9:40 AM, Sep 3
- Healing History through Science: Ancient and Modern DNA Analysis Confirms Chamorro Authenticity in the Mariana Islands
- ② 8:25 AM 9:40 AM, Sep 3
- Healing the Wounds of History: Remembering the Language of Mollusk Collecting

② 8:25 AM - 9:40 AM, Sep 3

WORKSHOP / ROUND TABLE: Bringing Teachers of the US Territories together to Ensure their Stories are Told in the History

② 8:25 AM - 9:40 AM, Sep 3

♥ Terrace Private Room

♥ Speaker



Karen Guerrero

Clinical Assistant Professor and GeoCivics PI Arizona State University Mary Lou Fulton Teacher's College GeoCivics Project

9:50 AM

Spanish Era Culture and Identity

② 9:50 AM - 11:05 AM, Sep 3

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3 Subsessions

- Chenchule 'An Evil that has no End?': Chamorro Reciprocal Exchange System during the time of Governor Felipe de la Corte (1855-1866)
 9:50 AM 11:05 AM, Sep 3
- History and Identity in the Mariana Islands: Narratives and Tropes of the 17th Century Encounter

② 9:50 AM - 11:05 AM, Sep 3

● The Origin of CHamoru/Spanish/English Trilingual Education on Guam ② 9:50 AM - 11:05 AM, Sep 3

Revisioning the Guam Museum

② 9:50 AM - 11:05 AM, Sep 3

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Revisioning the Guam Museum and Repository: Healing and Working from Desecration of the Past/Present and Navigating Accessibility para i Taotao Tano

▼ Speaker



Kelly G. Marsh-Taitano

Curator

Guam Museum and Guam Cultural Repository

WORKSHOP / ROUND TABLE: ACHO Marianas: Stone Slinging throughout the Mariana Islands and our Global Diaspora, Past, Present, and Future

② 9:50 AM - 11:05 AM, Sep 3

▼ Terrace Private Room

♥ Speaker



Roman Dela Cruz

Curator TheEffect

11:15 AM

Healing the Wounds of World War II Through Education: Transformative Programs by Pacific Historic Parks

① 11:15 AM - 12:30 PM, Sep 3

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Makaelah Blas

Program Coordinator Pacific Historic Parks



Jaclyn Balajadia

Education and Program Manager Pacific Historic Parks

Echoes of Our Saina

② 11:15 AM - 12:20 PM, Sep 3

♀ Azucena Room, Crowne Plaza Resort Saipan

Echoes of Our Saina: The Manamko' to Manhoben Oral History Project

▼ Speaker



Kelly G. Marsh-Taitano

Curator Guam Museum and Guam Cultural Repository

FILM SCREENING: Island Time

① 11:15 AM - 12:20 PM, Sep 3

▼ Speaker



Sylvia Frain & Sheila Babauta

Co-founders Fåha Digital Media, Inc

12:20 PM

Closing Remarks

② 12:20 PM - 12:30 PM, Sep 3

12:30 PM

Lunch (On Your Own)

② 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM, Sep 3

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1:30 PM

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING SESSION: Ta'na'homlo I Tano yan I Tasi

② 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM, Sep 3

♥ Speakers



Moneka De Oro

Fellows with the New School's Environmental Justice Movement Fellowship Lemmai Loves (Micronesia Climate Change Alliance and OCW 670)



Sheila Babauta

President

Community Solutions

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING SESSION: Garapan Heritage Trail

② 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM, Sep 3

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING SESSION: Marianas Experience

② 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM, Sep 3